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Child Death, Near Death, Stillbirth Commission/Child Protection
Accountability Joint Commission
TISSCAT
December 13, 2011

MEETING MINUTES

	<u>DISCUSSION</u>	<u>ACTION</u>
Attendance	Anne Pedrick, Angela Birney, Tracy Bell, Marj Hershberger, Kathy Lefebvre, Bridget Buckaloo, and Judith Stoltz.	
Minutes	<p>The minutes were approved from the November 14, 2011 meeting.</p> <p>Meeting called to order at 9:32 a.m.; introductions were made as Judith Stoltz, RN has joined the Committee; the meeting was adjourned at approximately 10:30 a.m.</p>	
Subcommittee Activity	<p>Dr. Rachel Moon, chair of the AAP Task Force on SIDS and Unsafe Sleep environments presented with Marj at the March of Dimes Summit on Safe Sleep on Nov 15th. Dr. Moon also presented at Pediatric Grand Rounds for physicians at the 8:00 a.m. session, she and Marj presented to the NICU nurses during the morning session and to other professionals during the afternoon session. After the Summit, Marj received an email from Dr. Bean of CCHS stating that someone needed to get to the floors of CCHS because the AAP guidelines were not being followed. There is no further data to report as evaluations have not yet been received by Marj.</p> <p>Dr. Dettwyler, Anthropologist, presented Nov 22nd at CCHS Pediatric Grand Rounds. Marj was unable to attend; however, Kathy and Pam were in attendance. It was suggested that her research was subjective and philosophical, and that is what is being taught to the Univ of DE students. The committee recommended sending a letter to the Dean regarding both sides of the spectrum and suggest also teaching infant safe sleep to the students.</p> <p>The Joint Commission Meeting with CDNDSC and CPAC was held on December 2nd. Marj reported out on what the Committee has been doing; gave more detail regarding the DelTech nursing students' community outreach project. Six groups chose safe sleep as their project; each student must complete and pass the CDC's safe sleep booklet in order to proceed with the project; they developed their presentation, gave them to their instructors for approval and began their community training. Thus far, they have presented at Shue-Medill Middle School (60-70 attended, age range from 20 to 60, had translator on hand and received thank-you notes from the group); to Wilmington DAPI students (teens age 13 to 18); to Tender Loving Kare daycare parents (display table using felt board puzzle with crib & items that do / do not belong in the crib); to Wilmington Headstart program; and to the Bayard House (gave gift bags with brochures and</p>	

	<p>onesies with “This Side Up” printed on them). Approximately 122 people have been reached through this community outreach project.</p> <p>Also reported at the Joint Commission Meeting, in November, 3 unsafe sleep deaths have been reported (2 in one night, the other a week later – this one was with a member of Marj’s church group, she gave DE SIDS Affiliate as a referral source, Linda Hawthorne was to meet with them on the evening of Dec 13th).</p> <p>Anne and Marj met with Debbie Taylor who is a Military Child Care Liaison for Delaware on Nov 30th regarding safe sleep education to military personnel on the base, as well as off site daycares that military children attend due to the on-base facilities being full (the base financially supports these locations).</p>	
Old Business	<p>Tastefully Simple fundraiser was a huge success; approximately \$300 was donated to Cribs for Kids; JP Morgan Chase has agreed to match this donation.</p> <p>Pam has completed the Halo Sleep Sack proposal and has done a fabulous job.</p>	
New Business	<p>Pam and Tracy will be presenting at Stork Day (Feb 7th, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.); a maternal / child education day sponsored by Labor & Delivery at CCHS.</p> <p>Cribs for Kids Stroller Walk has been postponed until a future time when more staffing is available to promote such a huge event. The committee decided that at the present time it was not feasible with current resources to conduct a stroller walk this year.</p> <p>Second Chance resale event will be Mar 24th & Apr 21st.</p> <p>Mar 24th is the Bayhealth Baby Fair; Marj and Angela will attend.</p> <p>March of Dimes Sussex County walk to be held in April.</p> <p>An advertisement from CCHS was found in the News Journal in Nov depicting an infant wrapped in a soft, fuzzy blanket.</p> <p>Articles of interest were handed out; the group was asked to save any articles they may find from various sources and bring to next meeting.</p>	<p>Tracy will find out if Marj can have a table display; Kathy is raffling a Tastefully Simple basket and may add Cribs for Kids cookbooks.</p> <p>Anne is meeting with the owner during the first week of Jan to discuss a partnership with Cribs for Kids at these events.</p> <p>The Committee recommended that Marj send a letter to the Marketing Department explaining the risks associated with the blanket and the influence that media has on young mothers and requesting that they review the AAP guidelines prior to submitting further ads</p>
Next meeting	<p>January 31, 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.; Christiana Care Hospital, Ammon Center, Room 1 *** note room change.</p>	

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infants.

Respectfully submitted by: Angela Birney